

General Assembly

Amendment

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Offered by:

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 163

File No. 482

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"AN ACT PROTECTING EMPLOYEE FREEDOM OF SPEECH AND CONSCIENCE."

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:

"Sec. 501. (NEW) (Effective October 1, 2022) Any labor organization that organizes a political rally for the purposes of (1) promoting the success or defeat of any candidate seeking the nomination for election or election, (2) aiding or promoting the success or defeat of any referendum question, (3) aiding or promoting the success or defeat of any political party, or (4) aiding or promoting the success or defeat of a state or federal legislative initiative shall ensure that notice of such political rally is provided to all members of the organization. The labor organization shall provide such notice in the same fashion that is required of the organization when providing notice of a meeting of the organization. In addition, the labor organization shall provide advanced written notice of the political rally to the State Enforcement Election Commission. As used in this section, "labor organization" means any

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16 organization or association or any agency or employee representation

- 17 committee or plan that exists for the purpose, in whole or part, of
- 18 dealing with employers concerning grievances, labor disputes, wages,
- 19 rates of pay, hours of employment or conditions of work, or any
- 20 federation or council located in this state representing any group of such
- 21 labor organizations."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

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Sec. 501	October 1, 2022	New section